

THE DISTRICT'S



FALL – WINTER *Leaf* COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 3, 2008
JANUARY 10, 2009



Government of the District of Columbia
Adrian M. Fenty, Mayor

District of Columbia 2008-2009 Fall and Winter Leaf Collection Program

The Department of Public Works will collect leaves from November 3, 2008 to January 10, 2009. DPW uses vacuum trucks to collect the bulk of the leaves, which are then composted. We *urge* residents to follow the collection schedule and rake loose leaves into piles in the curbside treebox space for collection and composting.

DPW will collect bagged leaves from the treebox space or the alley in neighborhoods with rear trash and recycling collections. Place bagged leaves next to the trash/recycling container(s). Bagged leaves will be placed in the landfill.


Tips for a Smooth-Running Leaf Collection Season

- 🗑️ Review the schedule for your street's collection weeks.
- 🗑️ Rake leaves into the treebox space the weekend before your street's collection weeks.
- 🗑️ Please – leaves only! Tree limbs, bricks, dirt, rocks, etc. will damage the equipment and delay collections.
- 🗑️ Prevent fires and parking problems by placing leaves in the treebox space, not in the street.

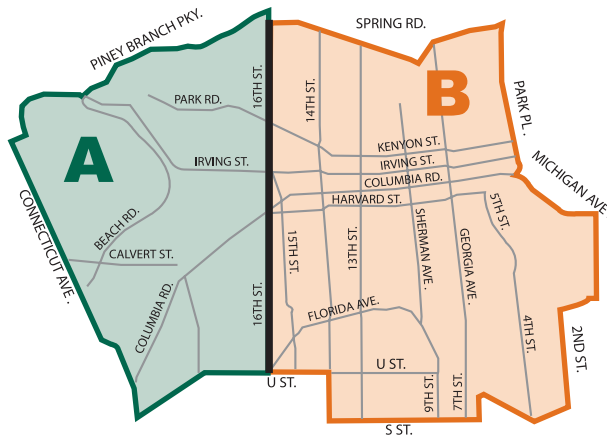
Leaf Collection Facts

- 🗑️ Every street will have at least two collections. During the first pass, crews will vacuum loose leaves from the treebox space, collect bagged leaves, and clear potentially hazardous situations. The second pass features a more thorough cleaning.
- 🗑️ Collections will be made Veterans Day (Tuesday, November 11) and Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 27).
- 🗑️ No collections will be made Christmas Day (Thursday, December 25) and New Year's Day (Thursday, January 1).
- 🗑️ ***Snow and ice can disrupt the leaf collection***

schedule because DPW leaf collection staff support the District Department of Transportation's Snow and Ice Control Program. Expect schedule delays when snow/ice storms are predicted.

 DPW will collect everything, even if the schedule is delayed due to weather or other circumstances. Please be patient. Check the collection status online at www.dpw.dc.gov.

WARD 1



Area A

West side of 16th Street, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 2	November 3 to 15
November 23	November 24 to December 6

Area B

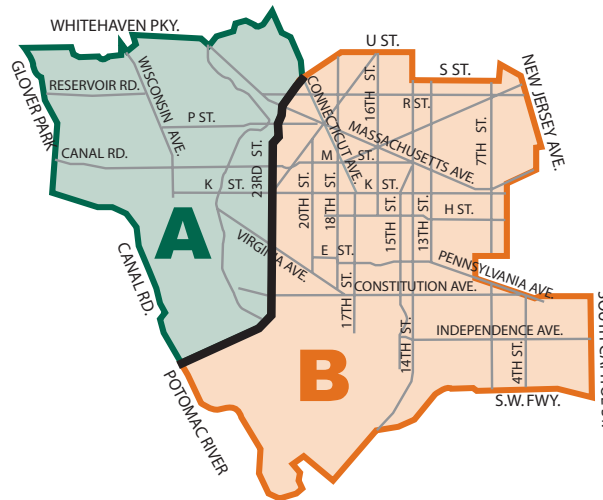
East side of 16th Street, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 16	November 17 to 22
December 7	December 8 to 13

WARD 2



Area A

West side of 23rd Street, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 2	November 3 to 15
November 23	November 24 to December 6

Area B

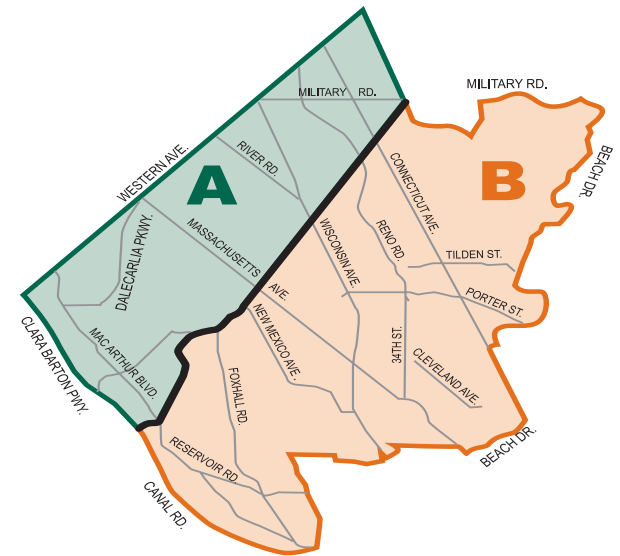
East side of 23rd Street, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 16	November 17 to 22
December 7	December 8 to 13

WARD 3



Area A

West side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 2	November 3 to 15
November 30	December 1 to 13
December 28	December 29 to January 3

Area B

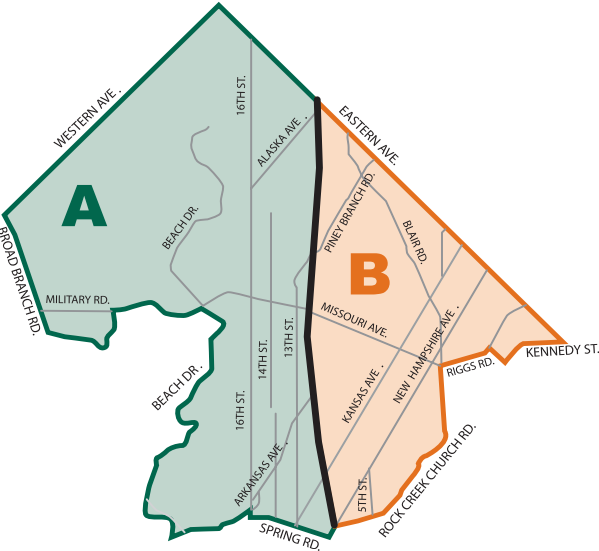
East side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, NW

Rake Leaves

Out By Sunday: For Collection From:

November 16	November 17 to 29
December 14	December 15 to 27
January 4	January 5 to 10

WARD 4



Area A
 West side of Georgia Avenue, NW

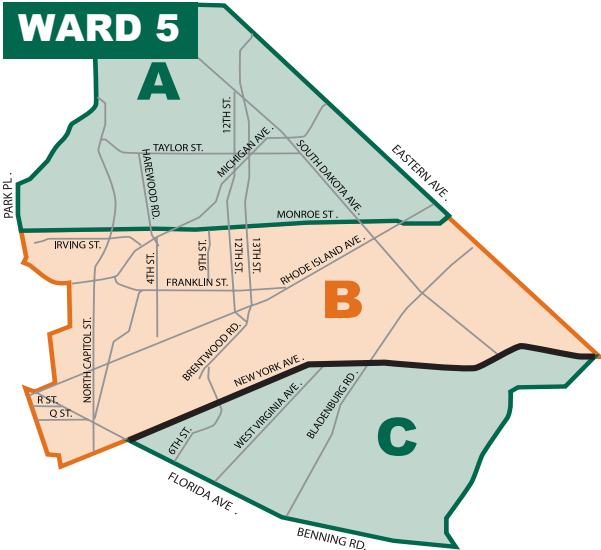
Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 2	November 3 to 15
November 30	December 1 to 13
December 28	December 29 to January 3

Area B
 East side of Georgia Avenue, NW

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 16	November 17 to 29
December 14	December 15 to 27
January 4	January 5 to 10



Area A
 North side of Monroe Street, NE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 2	November 3 to 8
November 30	December 1 to 6

Area B
 South side of Monroe Street, NE to
 North side of New York Avenue, NE

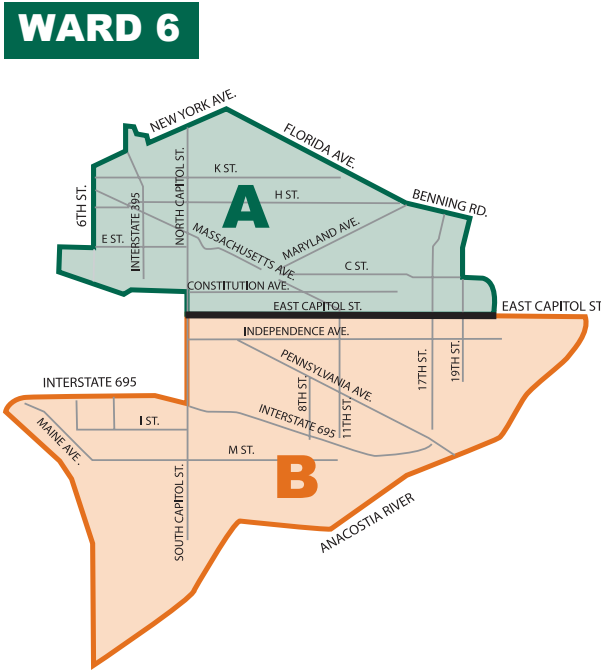
Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 9	November 10 to 22
December 7	December 8 to 20

Area C
 South side of New York Avenue, NE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 23	November 24 to 29
December 21	December 22 to 27



Area A
 North side of East Capitol Street, NE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

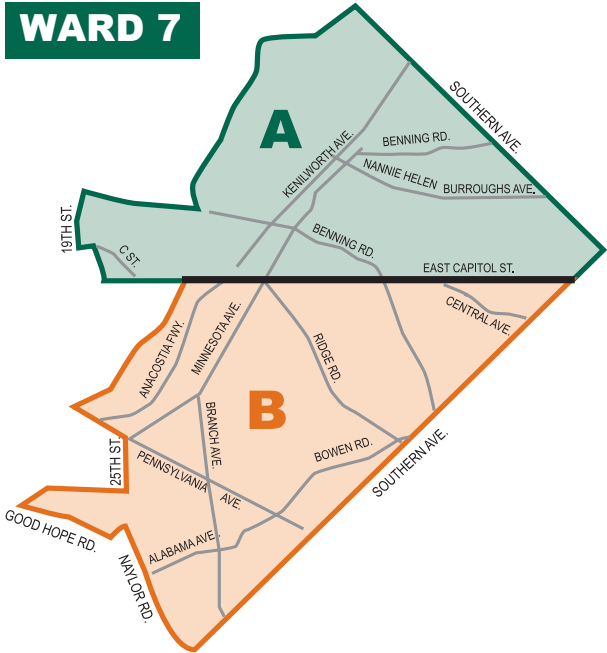
November 2	November 3 to 15
November 30	December 1 to 13

Area B
 South side of East Capitol Street, SE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday:

November 16	November 17 to 29
December 14	December 15 to 27

WARD 7



Area A
North side of East Capitol Street, NE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday **For Collection From:**

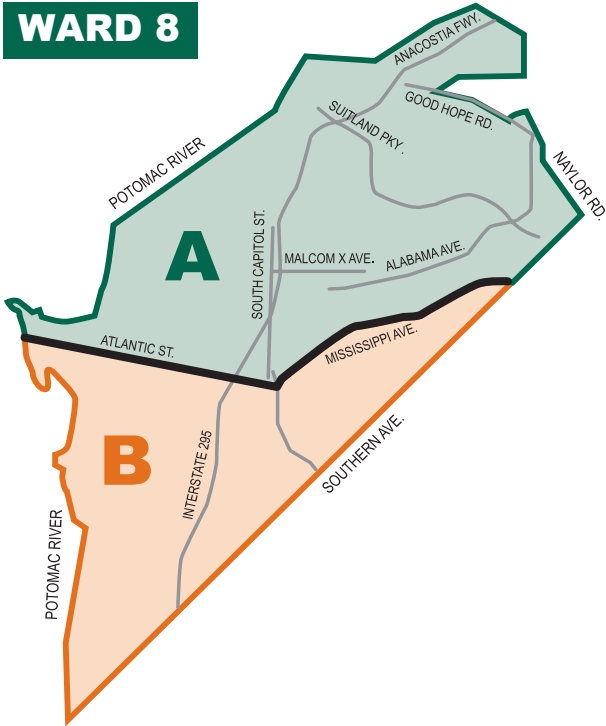
November 2 November 3 to 15
November 30 December 1 to 13

Area B
South side of East Capitol Street, SE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday: **For Collection From:**

November 16 November 17 to 29
December 14 December 15 to 27

WARD 8



Area A
North side of Atlantic Street and
Mississippi Avenue, SE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday: **For Collection From:**

November 2 November 3 to 15
November 30 December 1 to 13

Area B
South side of Atlantic Street and
Mississippi Avenue, SE

Rake Leaves
Out By Sunday: **For Collection From:**

November 16 November 17 to 29
December 14 December 15 to 27

GOOD TO KNOW...

YOU MAY BRING LEAVES TO FT. TOTTEN
4900 Bates Road, NE, Monday to Friday 1 pm to 5 pm
and Saturday, 8 am to 3 pm. For more information, call
311.

PREVENT WATER POLLUTION
Keep catch basins clear of loose leaves, debris and trash. Clogged catch basins (storm drains) can cause increased street flooding during heavy rain. Use the street litter cans for pedestrian litter and your trash cans for trash. Please do not sweep sidewalk litter into gutters or catch basins. Organic material, cigarette butts, and trash washed into catch basins contribute to water pollution. To report a clogged catch basin, please call WASA at (202) 612-3400.
Properly dispose of motor oil and other hazardous materials. Dumping these items into the catch basins pollutes our waterways and harms wildlife. Bring these or other household hazardous (or electronic) waste items to the Fort Totten Trash Transfer Station 4900 Bates Road, NE, or the Benning Road Trash Transfer Station located at 3200 Benning Road, NE on Saturdays from 8 am to 3 pm.

2009 HOLIDAY TREE PICK-UP
Holiday trees and wreaths will be picked up curbside from January 2 to January 17. Remove all decorations and place your holiday greenery in the treebox space in front of your home no earlier than Friday, January 2, and no later than Sunday, January 11. Any trees not collected by January 17 should be set out with your trash. Trees will be picked up as space in the trash trucks allows over the following weeks.

Si necesita información sobre el servicio de recogida de hojas, sírvase llamar al (202) 673-6833.

如果您需要有關樹葉收集的資訊，請電 (202) 673-6833。

낙엽 수거에 대한 정보를 원하시면, (202) 673-6833번으로 연락하십시오.

Nếu bạn cần thông tin về sự thu lá cây, vui lòng gọi số điện thoại (202) 673-6833.

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